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OIL and GAS NEWS

T. F. Maloney was an Ardmore visitor from Wilson Sunday.

T. B. Armstrong, with the Republic Supply company, spent Sunday in the city.

C. R. Stewart, of the Magnolia Pipe Line company, went to the field today.

Steel tanks are under construction at the Ardmore refinery, and another tank of 55,000-barrel capacity will be built within a short time.

McMan Oil company has the last ring up on its No. 1 steel tank in section 13-4-4 and the Corsicana Petroleum company in the same section has the first ring up on its No. 1 tank.

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GUARANTY STATE BANK
Ardmore, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Dan Murphy has gone to Paris, Tex., on account of the serious illness of her father. Mr. Murphy accompanied her there but returned to his work here.

Dan Murphy, salesman for the Lockhart Oil company, states that Ardmore gasoline and kerosene are in good demand and that he sells all the local refinery can turn out.

H. M. McQueen, who is a member of the Diamond Oil & Gas company and who is now promoting a big trust company in Missouri, was a visitor here yesterday from Kansas City.

Roxana Getting Busy.

A report received here states that the Roxana Petroleum company has purchased 360 acres of land just south of the tracks at Joiner City for a tank farm and it is also reported that these people have awarded contracts for the drilling of as many as 50 wells to L. Teatsworth, C. M. Hapgood and Jack Sankey.

Bought Kentucky Farm.

S. K. Warren, who was formerly a member of the Humble Oil company has disposed of his stock and has retired from the oil business. He went to Kentucky, bought a blue grass farm near one of the important cities of that state and is living a happy and contented life on a big Kentucky plantation. Mr. Warren was well known in the Healdton field.

Regret Cohn's Death.

M. H. Cohn, who spent some time in the Healdton field, and superintended the work of drilling two wells for Snowden Bros. in Jefferson county, was the Max Cohn who was killed a week ago in Holdenville. Mr. Cohn was well known to the oil field boys and was very popular with them. They felt that there was no excuse on earth for anyone to take his life, and are in hearty sympathy with the movement which has been made in Tulsa to prosecute his slayer.

Field Report.

There are at this time 349 producing wells in the Healdton field, and the number of wells finished during the month which ended September 25 is 32. There are 19 wells drilling in the field and 14 rigs up and building. The estimated production is 60,000 barrels. The field has in steel and wooden storage on the leases 185,000 barrels and in earthen storage it has approximately 100,000 barrels. There have been 29 steel tanks of 55,000 barrels capacity completed and filled with oil, which places the steel storage in the tank farms at 1,595,000 barrels.

Healdton Interesting Proposition.

The Healdton field presents a most interesting proposition and is pointed to as being discriminated against, inasmuch as oil is only bringing 30 cents per barrel.

The oil producers down that way are certainly up against it, but deserve a good share of what they are getting for the way in which they handed it to the refinery at Ardmore, where all the bunch reside.

Things have taken a new turn and everybody is now building storage, and if this same storage oil does not double in value, it will be the first and only time in the history of the oil game that it did not.

The McMan people, with 22,000 barrels daily production, are building tanks and laying a line about six miles long to connect with the field. This concern will doubtless have as much oil by mid-winter in the Healdton district as they now have in the Cushing field.

The McMan line out of Cushing was one of the big factors in taking care of the surplus oil during the over-production days and if it comes to a time when the McMan people wish to sell their Healdton oil they can easily lay a line to their tanks and get rid of a big pile of oil.

As showing the way things are going with this concern, the No. 17 well in section 6-4-3, just completed, started at 1,000 barrels with 280 feet of sand, and the No. 20 well in section 31-3-3 started at 1,500 barrels with the same thickness of sand.

In this connection it is said that the McMan line is running about 23,000 barrels every day from the Cushing field, and is being operated at a minimum expense and the big firm is turning down great orders for crude every day, so great is the demand.

The oil is turned over to the Magnolia at Addington and the Magnolia is crying for more, being fully aware that there will be a big demand for it later on. With oil at 80 cents a barrel at this end, the McMan people must be getting a nice price for Cushing crude.

After the first of the year the McMan Oil company will occupy the entire fifth floor of the Drew building and will move the pipe line offices, now occupied by Mr. Halloran and his assistants, up a few stories.

The pipe line office is connected to all five pumping stations and has connections with the Magnolia at the other end. This gives the McMan people an opportunity to talk with their men on the Electric leases, as well as the boys at Healdton.

So little has been said about the McMan Oil company's activities here that it will be surprising to many people right in Tulsa that so much business is being transacted by them other than producing oil.

Next to having a line connected to one of our refineries, the next best thing is the headquarters of a pipe line.—Tulsa Democrat.

REPORT FROM FOX.

Schaffer Well in Carter County Drilling at 600 Feet.

Fox, Okla., Sept. 27.—There have been some prominent oil men here from Oklahoma City the past week trying to make a contract with the Wildcat Jim Oil company to drill three wells. The well belonging to this company flowed about two hundred barrels one day last week.

A location has been made in section 24, 2 south and 3 west, and there has been contracts let for several more wells.

Earl Athey, who has the contract for J. M. Eastham in section 7-2-2, has spudded his well. This location is three-fourths of a mile north of Wildcat Jim.

The Gypsy Oil company has struck considerable gas in section 28-2-3. They had about 1,400 feet of water in the hole and the gas blew the water and mud about 40 feet high. It is not known just what the company will do, but it is generally regarded that they have good indications for a well.

What is known as the Schaffer well in section 2-3-3 is drilling at a depth of about 600 feet and has had some good showings of gas.

The geologist who recently went over this country states that in his opinion Fox will have as good a field as Healdton. He believes the Wildcat Jim well is an edge well and that the oil is dead, but when the main pool is found that the oil will be of a much higher gravity.

M. T. Pierce has returned from a business trip to Ardmore, and he states that much interest is being manifested there in the oil prospects of the Fox country. Mr. Pierce has thirteen hundred acres of land located near the Wildcat Jim well.

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New Oil Maps.

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Oil Producers.

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COUNTY READING CIRCLES; WORK FOR YEAR OUTLINED

The executive committee of the Carter County Reading Circle has divided the county into nine reading circle divisions for the ensuing year, as follows:

Division 1.—Ardmore, includes districts 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33. Meets October 2 and the first Saturday in each month thereafter.

Division 2.—Berwyn. Includes districts 1, 2, 11. Meets October 9 and second Saturdays thereafter. G. H. Chance, leader.

Division 3.—Springer. Includes districts 21, 23, 24, 35, 37, 14. Meets October 16 and third Saturdays thereafter. P. M. Jackson, leader.

Division 4.—Hewitt. Includes districts 40, 41, 42, 43, 56, 57, 58. Meets October 9 and second Saturdays thereafter. A. A. Rogers, leader.

Division 5.—Wheeler. Includes districts 22, 34, 39, 45, 64. Meets October 16 and third Saturdays thereafter. C. S. Watson, leader.

Division 6.—Graham. Includes districts 46, 47, 52, 53, 60. Meets October 16 and third Saturdays thereafter. G. A. Gurley, leader.

Division 7.—Pooleville. Includes districts 48, 49, 51. Meets October 16 and third Saturdays thereafter. Mrs. M. C. Herbert, leader.

Division 8.—Wirt. Includes districts 54, 55, 59, 65. Meets October 23 and fourth Saturdays thereafter. J. W. Bales, leader.

Division 9.—Tussy. Includes districts 38, 62, 63. Meets October 9 and second Saturdays thereafter. Miss Trema Harris, leader.

Pace's American Literature will be used as basic text. "Principles of Rural Economics," "Rural Education," "Discipline of the School," will be used as supplementary and will be ordered by the county superintendent upon request of any teacher.

It is desired that all the teachers of the county meet with the Ardmore division October 2. Smaller divisions of reading circle may be made if the teachers interested so desire, and if it is impossible to attend at any of these places, you should get the books and do the work privately. But, if you do this, be sure to report to the county superintendent regularly.

The State Teachers' association will be held in Oklahoma City November 25, 26, 27. The first county teachers' association will be held November 19 and 20, and the second on Friday and Saturday nearest Washington's birthday. The county field and track meet will be held about the first of May.

The renewal of certificates will depend to a great extent upon the work done in the reading circle, and the attendance at the teachers' associations. Will you make a special effort to attend all these meetings?

The Reading Circle work begins promptly at 10 a. m. The secretary of each division should make a report promptly after each meeting to the county superintendent.

Soon a Starving World?

The calls of famine-stricken countries for food soon may be more numerous than the world's few remaining givers can supply, according to the Portland (Ore.) Guard. The vast work of American relief is little grasped in some sections of the nation. On relief of Belgium and northern France the Commission for Relief of Belgium is spending \$10,000,000 a month, which is \$7,000,000 a month more than was required to build the Panama canal, while construction was in active progress.

The commission has built up what is described as the greatest commissariat the world has ever seen; it feeds 9,500,000 persons. It has its own flag and it deals directly with seven governments. The commission is the only medium by which food can go into Belgium.

The \$10,000,000 a month expense has been borne partly by the United States. Rich Belgians gave \$13,000,000; three-quarters of the Belgians who still have money pay for their supplies; the rest eat on the world's charity.—Little Rock Democrat.

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ILL-LUCK FOLLOWS THIS MAN

Muskogee, Okla., Ex-Postmaster Has Succession of Troubles

Leavenworth, Kas., Sept. 26.—Geo. O. Thomas, a former Oklahoma postmaster who has brought to the federal prison here today by Deputy United States Marshal A. R. Cottle of Muskogee, Okla., is such a man of hard luck victim.

Several months ago a hog, rooting in the back yard of Thomas' home at Panola, Okla., bit off the index finger of his youngest child. A week later another child chopped off its own hand with an ax. Then Thomas became ill and could not work. The family was without funds with which to buy food and Thomas, who was postmaster of the town, took \$220 of the government's money.

When the inspector began checking him up, he rifled the registered letters to get more money to cover up his shortage. When arrested he made a complete confession and entered a plea of guilty before Judge R. E. Campbell at Muskogee.

He was sentenced to eighteen months in prison.

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FIVE-DOLLAR RAISE IN COTTON PRICES

New Orleans, La., Sept. 26.—The cotton market made continuous advances last week, reaching new high records for the season on both spots and futures and closing \$5 a bale up. Trading was heavy and sentiment was bullish.

Buying was stimulated by extremely unfavorable crop accounts and reports of stiff advances in interior spot markets. Many minor reactions interrupted the advances and at times liquidation threatened to be a dominating influence, but new buying always saved the market from wide slumps. The net change for the week in the future market was a gain of 98 to 101 points. At the highest trading months were 99 to 102 points over last week's close. The high prices were made on the week-end session.

Contributing to bullish feeling were reports concerning negotiations for the Anglo-French loans. Bulls in cotton were confident if the loan is

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made export movement would be greatly stimulated.

The spot department attracted unusual attention because interior markets reported still higher prices than here. With middling at 11 cents on Friday in this market, several points in the belt, especially in Texas, telegraphed that street buyers were paying 11 cents middling basis.

The technical position of the market is the cause of much dispute and not a few traders think that during this week liquidation may be heavy enough to offset all bullish features. On the other hand, those who are working for still higher prices claim that with spots in the interior actually over seaboard prices, the position of the bulls is unassailable.

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POLICE FIND MISSING MAN

Baldy Seals, Arrested in Douglas, Ariz. Wanted in Oklahoma City

Oklahoma City, Sept. 26.—Sheriff Blinn received word today that Baldy Seals, wanted here on a charge of connection with the murder and robbery of J. H. H. McDonald, has been arrested at Douglas, Ariz., and is being held. Officers here will go after him.

By the statement of Tom Morgan, who with C. P. Culbertson and Bard Moore were convicted and given life sentences, Seals was implicated. He disappeared after the murder was committed. McDonald was held up and robbed in his drug store last March.

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